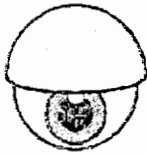


# Young Author's List of Sensory Words

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Razzle dazzle your readers by writing with descriptive sensory words.

## Sight



black & white  
bright  
brilliant  
cloudy  
colored  
crystal clear  
curved

dark  
dull  
faded  
flapping  
flashing  
floating  
foggy

hazy  
large  
light  
misty  
murky  
opaque  
pointed

psychedelic  
round  
shaded  
spotted  
square  
stained  
straight

striped  
swaying  
swirling  
textured  
translucent  
transparent  
twisted

## Sound



baying  
beating  
booming  
buzzing  
chiming  
chugging  
clanging  
clanking

clinking  
crackling  
crashing  
dripping  
grating  
growling  
honking  
howling

humming  
jangling  
jingling  
meowing  
moaning  
mooing  
popping  
revving

roaring  
rustling  
scraping  
screeching  
slurping  
sneezing  
snorting  
sobbing

splashing  
sputtering  
swishing  
ticking  
wailing  
whinnying  
whistling  
whizzing

## Taste



bitter  
bubbly  
burnt  
buttery  
cheesy  
chocolatey

dry  
fishy  
fresh  
garlicy  
gingery  
juicy

lemony  
moldy  
nutty  
oily  
oniony  
peppery

rancid  
salty  
smoky  
sour  
spicy  
spoiled

stale  
sugary  
sweet  
sweet & sour  
tart  
vinegary

## Smell



antiseptic  
cheesy  
dank  
decayed  
dusty  
earthy

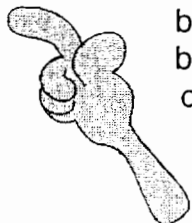
flowery  
fresh  
fruity  
gassy  
grassy  
leathery

mildewy  
musky  
musty  
new  
old  
perfumey

pungent  
putrid  
rainy  
rancid  
rosy  
rotten

salty  
sharp  
smoky  
strong  
wet  
woody

## Touch



bristly  
brittle  
cottony  
crusty  
dewy  
flexible

furry  
glassy  
gooey  
gritty  
hairy  
metallic

moist  
nubby  
pleated  
powdery  
puffy  
rough

sandy  
silky  
slick  
slimy  
smooth  
spongy

starchy  
steamy  
sticky  
stiff  
velvety  
wiry

TOUCH WORDS

cool	cold
icy	lukewarm
tepid	warm
hot	steamy
sticky	damp
wet	slippery
spongy	mushy
oily	waxy
fleshy	rubbery
tough	crisp
elastic	leathery
silky	satiny
velvety	smooth
soft	wooly
furry	feathery
fuzzy	hairy
prickly	gritty
sandy	rough
sharp	thick
pulpy	dry
dull	thin
fragile	tender

TASTE WORDS

oily	buttery
salty	bitter
bittersweet	sweet
heartly	mellow
sugary	crisp
ripe	bland
tasteless	sour
vinegary	fruity
tangy	unripe
raw	alkaline
medicinal	fishy
spicy	peppery
gingery	hot
burnt	overripe
rotten	

SMELL WORDS

sweet	scented
fragrant	aromatic
perfumed	heady
fresh	balmy
earthy	piney
aromatic	odorous
pungent	tempting
spicy	savory
sharp	gamy
fishy	briny
acidic	acrid
burnt	gaseous
reeking	putrid
rotten	spoiled
sour	rancid
sickly	rancid
rancid	sickly
stagnant	mouldy
musty	mildewed
damp	mildewed
stench	dank

## APPEARANCE CON'T

awkward	irresistible	calm	serene	unruffled
handsome	sunny	clean	scrubbed	tidy
crooked	exuberant	nerveless	blazing	verdant
fresh	fiery	flushed	vivid	
loose	energetic	stately	radiant	
curved	animated	lacy	statuesque	
straight	perky	large	exotic	
orderly	attractive	jeweled	opulent	
formal	arrogant	massive	gigantic	
crisp	flamboyant	dazzling	immense	
pretty	expansive	decorative	huge	
heavy	imposing	showy	elegant	
flat	regal	distinctive	gorgeous	

## LOUD SOUNDS

earsplitting	crash
pandemonium	thud
bump	boom
smash	explode
roar	scream
screech	shout
yell	whistle
whine	squawk
bark	bawl
bray	bluster
rage	blare
rumble	grate
slam	clap
stomp	stamp
noise	discord
jangle	rasp
clash	caterwaul
clamour	tumult
riot	racket
brawl	bedlam
blatant	deafening
raucous	piercing
rowdy	disorderly

## SOFT SOUNDS

speechless	sigh
still	mute
faint	inaudible
melody	resonance
harmony	musical
sigh	murmur
whisper	whir
rustle	twitter
patter	hum
mutter	snap
hiss	crackle
bleat	peep
buzz	zing
gurgle	swish
rush	chime
tinkle	clink
hush	

## SPEECH SOUNDS

stutter	stammer
giggle	guffaw
laugh	sing
yell	scream
screech	snort
bellow	growl
chatter	murmur
whisper	whimper
talk	speak
drawl	